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Ohief Manager. Mongkong, June 5, 1891.

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Hongkong, September 4, 1890.

NOTIOE. ID ULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1.-The business of the above Bank wil be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10

3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3. Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their ontion transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

annum will be allowed to depositors on

their daily balances. sented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about

the beginning of January and begin-ning of July. 6. Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free. by the various British Post Offices in

Hongkong and China 7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent,

and the production of his Pass Book are mecessary. For the

HONGRONG & SHANGHAY BANKING CORPORATION.

F. DE BOVIS, Ohief Manager. Hongkong, June 5, 1891.

THE HONGKONG BRICK & CEMEN COMPANY, LIMITED.

FINAL NOTICE.

OTICE is hereby given to the

Intimations.

HOLDERS of SHARES in the above Company, bearing the following Numbers: Nos. 2871 to 2920, and 1061 to 1085; on which the Calls of \$1.00 per Share due GENTLEMEN March 3rd, 1890, and the Calle of \$3.00 per Share due February 5th, 189), are still Unpaid, that unless the said Calls with the Amount of INTEREST at the Rate of \$8.00 per centum per annum from due date, and all expenses be PAID at the Company's OFFICE, Bank Buildings, Queon's Road Victoria, Hongkong, on or before the 2011 DAY OF JUNE, 1891, the said Shares will be dealt with by the Directors, in accordance

W. H: WALKER,

Hongkong, June 5, 1891 THE STOCK, SHARE AND DEBEN-TURE INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

A PPLICATIONS for ORDINARY A SHARES will be Received at the HONGKONG AND SHANGEAL BANK, until the

20TH JUNE. Hongkong, June 11, 1891. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

LIMITED.

DENDING the arrival of the Acring Manager and the Completion of the BANK'S PERMANENT OFFICES, the PAY-MENT of the Second CALL of £2 per Share has been POSTPONED until FRI-DAY, 31st July, 1891. By Order of the Board of Directors,

L DOWNES. Hongkong, June 18, 1891.

THE STRAITS, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS are reminded that the THIRD INSTALMENT of ONE Pound Five Shillings Sterling (£1 5s. 0d.) per Share on the NEW ISSUE SHARES BANK, No. 11, Queen's Road, on or before 30rH JUNE, 1891.

DE WESTLEY LAYTON. Secretary. Hongkong, June 9, 1891.

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THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL NOW OPEN.

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modation for Families and Gentlemen. The Manager, Mr. ROBBET ISSEEWOOD. will be assisted by an Efficient Lady Staff. and the Hotel will be conducted upon the 995 best English system. The accommodation comprises a spacious Dining Hall, Private Dining Rooms, Drawing, Reading, Smoking, Grill, Billiard, and Private Sitting Rooms, with Fifty-four Bedrooms each provided with separate Bath-room and

Tramway Tickets will be supplied to Visitors at Reduced Rates. For Terms apply to the SECRETARY, at the Company's Office, 33 and 40, Queen's FUNSITURE, and solicit the kind patron-Road Central, Hongkong. Hongkong, June 1, 1891.

BAY VIEW HOTEL.

NAR. OSBORNE begs to announce that this convenient half-way House on SHAUKIWAN ROAD is now Open.

The HoraL commands a beautiful View, and is situated in a cool and breezy spot. There is a convenient landing jetty op-. - Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per posite the Hotel for launches.

The best Brands of WINES, LIQUORS, 5, Each Depositor will be supplied gratis CIGARS, &c., always in Stock. MEALS with a Pass-Book which must be pre- can be served at any hour. Prompt attendance. Hongkong, May 14, 1891.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the READ OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary. Communication with the Under-

satisfaction.

signed is requested, when immediate rteps will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

Hengkong, August 35, 1885.

Business Notices.

HAVE NOW RECEIVED THEIR NEW STOCK OF Hosiery, Summer

OUTFITTING SUNDRIES.

CHUMMER TEXTURES IN UNDERSHIRTS, PANTS AND HALF-HOSE. LONDON MADE SHIRTS, NEW LUNG-CLOTH, ZEPHYR, OXFORD AND RENOH PRINT SHIRTINGS COLLARS, HANDKERCHIEFS, SCARVES, TIES AND CRAVATS. WATERPROOF COATS, APRONS AND UMBRELLAS, MEN'S BATHING SUITS AND DRAWERS, ATHLETIC DEAWERS, TOWELS, BATH-GOWNS, BATH-BLANKETS, BATH GLOVES, SUN-UMBRELLAS, SUN BATS, STRAW

HATS, FELT HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES. PRICKLY HEAT SOAP, CARBOLIO SOAP, PRABE SOAP, EAU DE-COLOGNE, NEW PERFUMES. TOILET, VINEGAR, LAVENDER WATER, ROWLAND'S KALYDOR, DENTIFRICE, EAU DE QUININE, HAIR WASH, &O., &O.

ANTI-CALCAIRE for softening water. CALVERT'S CARBOLIC POWDER. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hougkong, June 3, 1891.

SUMMER DRESS GOODS PRINTS, ZEPHYRS, SATEENS, BOX COSTUMES, &c.

VICTORIA EXCHANCE, June 13, 1891.

Hotel. Victoria

W. POWELL & Co.

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Officer (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much en-THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN AND larged and improved and is now one of the principal Horals in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious. large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handrome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Looms. (1891) is PAYABLE at the OFFICES of the The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are apoker.

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Hongkong, September 16, 1985. 1164 BILLIARDS. PEAK HOTEL. 50 BEDROOMS.

VICTORIA GAP, -ADJOINING THE TRANWAY: WM. THOMAS, Manager.....TRLEPHONE No. 29. ... THE CUISINE is under the best supervision and every laxury obtainable is supplied, TERMS :- 34 per day to \$80 per month, including Tramway Ticket. THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING Co., LIMITED, Proprietors.

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DLACK, GREY BROWN FELTS, SINGLE TERAI HATS, (ALL SHADES).

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Hongkong, June 4, 1891.

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REPAIRS AND RE-BUILDING. PIANOS, ORGANS, &c., repaired in the best manner and made equal to New. We have had 16 years extensive experience in China, and all our TUNERS and The Hotel is replete with every accom. REPAIRERS have been trained in the best factories in England-Estimates FREE

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Intimations.

WUNG CHUNG & Co. (與順海上) from Shanghai, are prepared to undertake CONTRACTS and JOHS for PAINTING, POLISHING, DECORATING and all descriptions of ORNAMENTAL WORK in Houses, also for making Cabiners and French Polish to age of the Public. All Orders will be promptly, faithfully and satisfactorily executed: Best Materials and Superior Firstclass Workmanship in neat and best style,

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MACGREGOR **MALDBECK** Wine and Spirit Merchants. Ale and Stout Merchants. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD,

Agencies in all the Principal Ports of China and Japan, Hougkoug, December 22, 1890.

Hongkong.

Intimations.

"ST. GEORGE'S." SOUND BREAKFAST CLARET 82.50 a doz.

\$0.25 allowance for 1 dos. Empty Bottles RETURNED. G. GIRAULT (Late Guzzu FRERES), No. 8, Quren's Road. Hongkong, June 5, 1891.

CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

WHEREAS, Messieurs RUSSELL & Co. have RESIGNED the position of GENERAL MANAGERS of the Company, and WHEREAS, it is provided by the Articles of Association of the said Company that in case the said Firm shall cease to be willing or qualified to ACT as GENERAL MANAGERS, the Management of the Business shall be conducted in such manner as the Company in General Meeting shall direct. THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, that an EXTRAORDINARY General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the Company's OFFICE, No. 7, Praya, Victoria, Hongkong, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon of WEDNESDAY, the 24th June instant, to consider and determine how the Business of the Company shall be managed and conducted in the future, whether by a Board of Directors, or by General Managers as heretefore; and if by General Managers, who shall be appointed General Managers or Manager, and upon what terms and conditions and with what remuneration, and to pass such Special Resolutions as may be necessary to give effect to the decisions of the Meeting and to alter the Articles of Association of the Company as may be requisite.

Hongkong, 15th day of June, 1891. SHEWAN & Co., Temporary General Managers.

Intimations.

1845.

COMPETITION for the Short Range Handicap CUP and SPOONS will take place (weather permitting) on SATUR-DAY NEXT, the 20th Inst., commencing at 3.15 p.in. Ranges-500 and 601 Yards. Usual conditions. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier

at 2.45 p.m. to convey Competitors. J. ANDERSON. Acting Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, June 13, 1891.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 30th Instant, both days inclusive. F. W. OROSS.

Hongkong, June 15, 1891.

NOTICE.

AT OTICE is hereby given, That the PART-NERS of the FIRM of RUSSELL AND COMPANY have executed an AS SIGNMENT in NEW YORK of all their Estate, Property and Effects wheresoever situated for the benefit of their Creditors, and have appointed HENRY HANNAH, of New York, Assignee and Trustee of the

said Estate, Property and Effects. And Notice is also given, That the said HENRY HANNAH has appointed the Undersigned as his Agent in Hongkong and Canton for the purposes of the Liquidation of the said Estate, and all Creditors of Hongkong and Canton of the said Firm are hereby requested to forward Particulars of their CLAIMS to the Undersigned. And all Persons being INDEBTED to the said Firm or holding any Goods or property of the said Firm in Hongkong or Canton are hereby notified not to make Payment or part with the same except to the Undersigned. Dated this 10th day of June, 1891.

W. SANSOM TAYLOR. No. 7, Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong.

Hongkong, June 11, 1891.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

AAR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions from the MORTGAGEES, to Sell by Public Auction, on the Premises, at 3 o'Clock p.m., on

WEDNESDAY. the 24th Jun. 1891,-

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES,

comprising: Nos. 183, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206 and 208, and TWO HOUSES unnumbered at the backs of 202 and 208, respectively, in Queen's Roan, West, Victoria, Hongkong, and being First ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND registered in the LAND OFFICE, as INLAND LOT No. 518, as the same INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION Premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 years, from the 25th August, 1859, subject to the payment of the yearly Crown Rent payable in respect thereof and to the performance of the Crown covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Leases, Lettings and Tenancies thereof. 2nd ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND registered in the LAND OFFICE, as INLAND LOT No. 37, as the same Premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 years, from the 25th day of December, 1858, subject to the payment of the yearly Crown Rent payable in respect thereof and to the performance of the Crown covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Leases; Lettings and Tenancies

thereof. A portion of the Purchase Money can remain on Mortgage at 7 %. For further Particulars and Conditions

of Sale, apply to WOTTON & DEACON. Solicitors for the Mortgagees; J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctroneer:

Mr. HO KOM TONG, 138, Bonham Stand West. Hongkong, June 11, 1891.

PUBLIC AUCTION. T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have re-

ceived instructions from the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR of the HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED, to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY,

the 6th July, 1891, at 2 p.m.,-(With the Approbation of the Chief Justice), THE PLOATING HOTEL "HONGKONC MARINA," With her Anchors, Chains, Pumps, Awn-

INGS, FITTINGS, &c., as she now lies in the Harbour. IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARDS, THEFURNITURE AND

HOTEL FITTINGS.

including :-TEAK DINING TABLES, VIENNA CHAIRS, MIRRORS, TAPESTRY and LEATHER COVERED COUCHES, IRON BEDSTEADS, with SPRING and Hall MATTRESSES, SHIP'S WASHSTANDS and Cabin Funiture, Swing: Lamps, Windproof Lamps, Cooking Ranges, Tear BAR and FITTINGS, OFFICE FURNITURE, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE GLASSWARE, UROCK-ERY, CUTLERY, &O., &O.

A STEAM LAUNOH. A BILLIARD TABLE, by LAZARUS, Also.

A QUANTITY OF WINES, SPIRITS, BEERS, &c., &c. Catalogues with Conditions of Sale will he issued. A Plan and description of the Ship may be seen at the Austroneen's Office.

TANE CRAWFORD & Co.

1200

Auctioneers. Hongkong, June 13, 1891.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned has received instruc tions to Sell by Public Auction, (For account of whom it may concern),

MONDAY.

the 22nd June, at 11 a.m., at the Kerosine Godowns of Mesars. Russell & Co., Bow Ex British barque Cambusdoon,

(COMET BRAND), (All more or less damaged by sea water). TERMS OF SALE .- Cash on delivery. F. RAPP.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, June 16, 1891.

Notices of Firms. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned have This Day been appointed TEMPORARY GENERAL MANAGERS of the above Company. SHEWAN & Co.

Bongkong, June 11, 1891. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP CO., LIMITED.

AGENTS for the above Line of Steamers in Hongkong and China. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, June 6, 1891.

NOTIOE

T. HAVE This Day commenced BUSI-

THE Undersigned have been appointed

NESS as MERCHANT and GENERAL Commission Agent at Hongkong and Canton, under the Style of SHEWAN & Co. Mr. CHARLES ALEXANDER TOMES will Sign the Firm Name.

ROBT. SHEWAN.

Hongkong, June 9, 1891. NOTICE. SHALL CONTINUE to Carry on BUSINESS at AMOY and FORMOSA,

as MERCHANT and GENERAL COMMISSION FRANCIS CASS. Amoy, 10th June, 1891.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Undersigned have This Day been appointed TEMPORARY GENERAL

MANAGERS of the above Company, SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, June 11, 1891. 1178

> Shipping. Steamers. COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Wingsang, Capt, Sr. Croix, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Noon. This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managera Hongkong, June 15, 1891. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT.)

The Company's Steamer Sondetch Phra Nang, Captain R. Jones, will be despatched for the above Port on TUESDAY, the 23rd Inst., at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Hongkong, June 17, 1891. MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKO-HAMA, PIA INLAND SEA. Captain Golding, will be despatched as above on The Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 17, 1891. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

or about the 25th Instant.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship Hangchow,
J. C. ARTHUR, O'mander,
will be despatched as

above on MONDAY, the 29th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

LIMITED.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agenta. Hongkong, June 18, 1891. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steamship G. W. Long, Comm'der, will be despatched as above on or about the 2nd of July. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 13, 1801,

Shipping.

. Steamers. TEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship.

Capt. J. F. JEPHSON, will leave for the above places TO-MORROW, the 20th Instant, at Noon.

39,643 CARBS KEROSINE OIL P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, June 10, 1891.

> FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship

> Ports on SUNDAY, the 21st Instant, at

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers, Hougkong, June 18, 1891.

MARITIMES. FOR HAIPHONG (DIRECT.) (Taking Cargo for Tourane & Quinhon.) The Co.'s Steamship Haiphong.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, June 17, 1891.

ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) The Steamship

Instant, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, June 18, 1891. STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrivel here with the outward Maila.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

Flintshire: Captain DWYER, will be the 23rd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, Jone 18, 1891. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

The Steamship Monmouthshere,
Captain Cuning, will be
despatched as above on

Hongkong, June 18, 1891. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE.

will leave for the above places on SATUR-DAY, the 27th Instant, at Daylight. E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Polyphemus. Captain Les, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 27th Instant.

Hongkong, June 18, 1891. Sailing Vessels. FOR NEW YORK.

SHEWAN & Co. FOR NEW YORK:

The 3/3 A.1.1. American Ship Captain N. W. Blanchard, will load here for the above Port,

E. L. WOODIN,

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

Captain Davis, will be For Freight or Passage, apply to

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

Captain Bousquer, will leave for the above Port on SUNDAY, the 21st Inst., at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

(Taking Cargo at through rates to

SIEMSSEN & Co...

Steamship Captain P. Hanars, will

Hongkong, June 15, 1891.

The Steamship despatched as above on

1 1203 FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Steamship
Ancona,
Captain W. D. MUDIE,

The 3/3 L.1.1, British Barque

Agents.

Hongkong, June 5, 1891.

SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

Hesperia,
Captain L. Madsan, will
be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 22nd

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

the 28th Instant

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co. a

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, June 15, 1891. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Douglas, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

and have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, May 27, 1891. MEMOS. FOR TO MORROW.

Shipping.

3 p.m. - Yikaning loaves for Manila.

Rifle Amountion.

Noon - Gwaller leaves for Bombay, &c.



WEDNESDAY, 24th June, The Popular Councily of DAVID GARRICK,'

IRS. POTTER, MR. BELLEW. Assisted by MEMBERS of the HONGKONG AMATEUR DEAMATIC CLUB.

Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9 p.m. Prices :- \$2, \$1.

Box Plan at Mesars, KELLY & WALSH's. Hangkong June 17, 1891.

Notices to Consignees.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND

SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Glengyle, having arrive from the above Ports, Consigned of Cargo by her are hereby informed tha their Goods are being landed at their ris into the Godowns of the Hongkong AN KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN-COMPANY LIMITED, at Kowloon, whence delivery may

be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unles notice to the contrary be given before Noor TO-DAY.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to presen all Claims for damages and/or shortages no later than the 1st July, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, June 18, 1891.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship Wingsang having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN Co., LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery

may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 29th Instant, otherwise they

will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hougkong, June 15, 1891. STEAMSHIP NATAL.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from Lundon ex Steamships Guadalquizer and Guadiana, and from Havre ex Steamship Guadiana, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opinia, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignment before il a.m. To-Day (Tucaday), the 16th Inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after WED-MESDAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before WEDNESDAY, the 24th Inst., or they will not be recognised. Damaged Packages will be examined on WEDNESDAY, the 24th Instant, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. HongYoug, June 16, 1891.

To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYAL. Four Farewell Performances.

Under the Special Patronage and in the Pre-

sence of His Excellency MAJOR-GENERAL G. DIGBY BARKER, C.B., OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE GOVERNMENT. TUESDAY NEXT, 23rd June.

TAR. GEO. C. MILN. supported by Miss Louiss Jordan & COMPANY. In "JULIUS CESAR."

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THE OHINA & MANILA STRAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Cossas, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 22nd Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN & Co., Temporary General Managers. Hongkong, June 19, 1891. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAT PIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, OHEFOO, NEW. OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co. s Steamship Capt. RAWLINGS, will despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 27th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, June 19, 1891.

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FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. Vikeang,
Capt. Galsworthy, will
be despatched as above The Steamship TO-MORROW, the 20th Inst., at 3 p.m. This Steamer has superior Accommoda-

tion for 1st Class Passengers. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1891.

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be despatoired for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 21st Inst. Phra Chon Kino, for Holhow at 10 a.m., instead of as previously notified. Fushum, for Shanghai. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. June 18, 1891 :--

Namyong, British steamer, 983, Win. Smith, Saigon June 14, Rice and Paddy. -BAN MOH & Co. June 19 :--

Ashington, German steamer, from Wham-Fidelio, German steamer, 853, H. Bror-

sen, Newchwangand Chefoo Jone 12, Beans, -MELOHERS & Co. Yiksang. British steamer, 888, Galesworthy. Manila June 15, General. - JAR. DINE, MATRESON & Co.

Choysang, British steamer, 896, R. C. D. Bradley, Wuhu June 16, Rice JAR-DINE, MATHESON & Co. Zafiro, British steamer, 675, A. W. R. Cobban, Manila June 16, General. - Russen

Amoy, German steamer, 814, Th. Lehmanu, Shanghai June 16, General .- Stans. 1236 6BN & Co.

Venetia, British steamer, from Whampon. Nizam, British steamer, 1,615, Geo. L. Langborne, R.N.R. Bombay June 3, and Singapore 13, General, -P. & O. S. N. Co.

DEPARTURE: June 19 :-Oxford, for Sourabaya. Esmeralda, for Amov. Clara, for Haiphong. Choyseng, for Whampon. Glengyle, for Shanghai. Ningpo, for Shanghai, Elektra, for Sinzaporo and Bombay. Ardgay, for Singaporo. Tongehan, for -water.

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PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Yiksam, from Minila, 75 Chinese. Por Zaforo, from Manila, 3 Europeans, and 140 Onimere. Per Amoy, from Shanghai, 22 Chinese.

Per Nipm, from Sing pore, 67 Chinese. DEPARTED. Por Glengyle, for Shinghai, 5 Chinese Per Esmeralda, for Army, 15 Chinese. Per Nin po, for Shanghai, I European, and 50 Chingse. Per I lektra, for Singapore, 306 Chineso. Per Ardg oy, for Singapore, 359 Chinese, Per Tongshau, for Swatow, 1 European,

and 250 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Phra Chom Klas for Hollow, 4 Chi-Per Fushum, for Snunghai, 1 European, and 120 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Yikami reports Encountered moderate to fresh S.W. winds, with almost constant rain and heavy S. W.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close;-

For HOIHOW, SINGAPORE & BANG-Per Phra Chom Klao, at 9.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 20th inst. For STRAITS & BOMBAY .-Per Gwalior, at 11,30 u.m., on Saturday,

the 20th inst. For SHANGHAL -Per Fushum, at 3 30 p.m., on Saturday, the 20th inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL -: Per Folien, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the For KOBE & YOKOHAMA.-Per Ashington, at 9 a.m. on Sunday, the

21st inst, instead, of as previously notified Per Benlawers, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

For HAIPHONG. Per Haiphoug, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 21at inst. For SINGAPORE.

Per Hesperia, at 9.30 a.m., on Monday, the 22ad inst. For AMOY & MANILA. I'er Zufiro, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday,

For BANGKOK_ Per Somdetch Phra Nang, at 9.30 a.m. Tuesday, the 23rd inst.

Géneral Liemoranda. MONDAY, June 23 11-a.m. - Ametion of SO, 645 Cases Kerosine Oil (Comet Brand), at Kerosine Godowna of Meases Russel & Co. Bowrington.

Goods per Wingrang undelivered after this date subject to rent. Cucaday, June 23 9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall. VEDNESDAY, June 24: Goods per Steamer Notel unelalar after Noon subject to rent, -3 p.m. -Austion of Leasthold Properties in Queen's Road.

3 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The China & Manila Steamship Co., Ltd. Goods per G'engy'e undelivered after this date subject to rent. 9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall. MONDAY, July 6 :--2 p.m. -Auc'i m of The Pleating Hatel Hongkong Marues,

Miscellaneous, Applications for Ord nary Shares of The Stock, Share & Debenture Investment Co., Ltd., received at H.K. & S'hai 3.15 p.m. -- Competition of the Hongkong

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Natural Sherry, Red Seal D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule . . 12 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality,

Black Seal Capsule (Old CLARETS. Quarts. A Superior Broakfast Claret, Red Capsule \$4.50 B St. Estephe, Red Capsule. 4.5v 5.00. D La Rose Per doz. BRANDY. Case. Per Bot. A Hennissy's Cild Pole, Red

B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsulo 14 1.25 C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsule 18 1.50 D Hermessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule . 24 2.00 his brothren for this duty.

SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorno's Blend, White B Watson's Glenorchy Melhow Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark, . .

C Watson's Abelour-Glenlivot, Rod Capaule, with Name, . and Trade Mark . . D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Cap-E. Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-

IRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old, Green 8 John Jameson's Fipe Old, Green Capsule. C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule . 12 1.10 GENUINE BOURSON WHISEY.

fine old, Red Capanie, A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-B Fine Unawestened, White Capsule ..

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet

. 12 1.00 Among the documents on the increase of Good Leeward Island \$1.50 per Gallon. LIQUEURS. Benedictine Maraschino Heering's Cherry Cordial

Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Angestura Bitters, &c. no publication of this issue commenced

One China Finil.

HONGLONG, PRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1891, TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE 'CRINA MAIL."

7.50 m.m.

(Via Southern Line.) BEHRING STRAITS. LOSDOF, 17th June, 1891, England and the United States have

ratified the agreement closing the Sealing Season in Behring Straits until May. (From Singapore Papers.) INSPECTION DE TEA IN GREAT

BRITAIN norts in the United Kingdom, Inspectors have been appointed to sample all imported

THE BACCARAT SCANDAL Nearly all the home papers concar with the verdict, but they criticise the connecthe seemdal.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SURE CANAL. Turwand Bourto Astonwald, April Monkseaton, May 12; mphitrite clian aquadron and the incurgent Lydia, 17; Glenlyon, Bonnington, 29; one hundred were killed Agamemnon, Niobe; Genkai Maru

MEWARD BOUND :- Fulford, May Yorkshire, Harrow, 15 ; Bombay, 20 ; Oceana, St. Dunstan, June 2; Clyde, 5; Cyclops, Nes or, St athleven, Maria Teresa, 9; Bra.d. 12.

the P. & O. s. s. Pekin, with the English Mail of May 22nd, left Singapore on Tuesday, the little instant, at 1 p.m., brings roplica to letters despatched from Hongkong on 16th April. Pho Canadian Pacific s. a. Parthia, from

hama for Shanghai and Hongkong on the 18th June.

London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bettled by ourselves, thus enabling us The N. G. I. s. s. Bormida, from Bombay, and his friends langhed at this nice dif-The ateamer Arratoon Apear, with mails &c. from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 19th Jane, and may be expected

> The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Ajax, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 19th June, and may be expected here on or about the 20th June. MESSES David Sassoon, Sons & Co. inform

here on or about the 25th June,

us that the e.s. Arratoon Apcar, from Cal-1. 10 outta, left Singapore for this port to-day. THE O. S. S. Co. s s. s. Ajaz, from Liverpool, left Singapore this morning, and may

THE Superintendent of the P. & O. S. 0.60 N. Co. informs us that the Company's s.s. Ancona left Nagasaki for this port to-day, at 1.30 a.m.

be expected here on or about the 24th inst.

The performance of 'Julius Caesar' by the Miln Company, on Tuesday next, the 23rd | the Imperial Decree issued in consequence tering the Government.

MESSES Carlowitz & Co. inform us that the to the memorial from the Taungit Yamen N. G. I. steamer Bormida, from Bombay, left Singapore for Hongkong yesterday and may be expected here on or about the 24th instant

THE Comercio of the 6th June says :- 'Wo are informed to day that the Magistrate Sr. Garcia Lura was not appointed special judge, properly speaking, in the matter of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, but as it is necessary that one of the Magistrates should be appointed to examine the docucument required by the judge, Sr. Garcia Lara, it is believed, has been designated by

Wong Mui, married woman, and Ho their rumours so as to induce the people to Taung, her son, a achoolboy, were charged do wrong, in order that they might have an before Mr Wine, at the Police Court to-day opportunity for looting and plundering, and with assaulting Shiu Yan Wai, school- them. His Majesty commands those conmaster. The complainant, who resides at Wanchai, said that on the 13th inst, the schoolboy used abusive and filthy language Viceroys and Governors of the provinces of towards his (complainant's) wife in consequence of which he chastised him in the their respective civil and military officials street. The boy's mother and another woman came and abused complainant and wanted to best him and a growd soon cullected. The boy's mother came up to 8 0.75 complainant and struck him, and be was then dragged downstairs and struck on Chinese subjects and under the jurisdiction the nose by a man whom he did not know, of their respective local officials; and the and afterwards mauled with fists and umbrellas so that he became insensible. the bad characters who have spread abroad The boy was discharged, and with regard to the woman his Worship said her matern I feelings had evidently got the better of her instructed to issue proclamations to netify judgment on account of her son being publicly chastised. She was ordered to anonymous placard containing false rumours \$25 to keep the peace for six months.

of the Legislative Council this afternoon, at the request of Mr Whitehead, was a despatch from Lord Knutsford to the Governor, dated 3rd April 1891, in which the Secretary of State makes several modifications in the increased salaries as voted in the 1891 estanates. Lord Knutsford says he sees no reason for departing from his previous decision that the Ragistrar General is entitled to have his salary increased 35 per cent above \$5,040. i.e., to \$6,804. instead of \$6,000. With reference to the Harbour Master's Department Lord Knutsford says he is willallowance granted in 1887. Sanction is no from \$1.810 to \$6000 in addit on Absent : Hon C. P. Chater. \$1,400 is approved.

ATELEGRAM received in Manile, dated Madrid 5th instant, says that a paval combat took place off Valparaiso between the Chi clian squadron and the insurgents, in white

Hampslead, June 2; Canton, Anjer The Commander of the Spanish transport and despatches relating to the salaries Head, 6; Salazie, Radnorchire, 9; Manila, while on a voyage from Ponacé to question, saked for by Mr. Whitehead. Manila, while on a voyage from Ponape to Zamboanga, ascertained the true position of the Palmas island to be 5' 35' N. and 132' 48' 18" E., and not as at present mark ed in the charts,

AT last, Manila has been blossed with plenty of rain, which materially lowered the temand may be expected here on or about perature, and which will doubtless decrease Bunday, the 21st inst. This Packet the sick-list. By last accounts there was scarcely a family without one of its members suffering from some sort of complaint on Vancouver with mails, &2.; left Yokoaccount of the extreme heat.

An Archan Trick. — When Major Lumwden was in Afghapistan, the Sardar of Kan-The s.a. Afyhan left Singapore on June 17, dahar expressed a desire one day to see the and may be expected here on or about rifle practice of the English. In the course of the shooting he saw some sparrows' e China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co.'s heads shot off and, while expressing great as a Ningchow, from London and Li-verpool, left Singapore on June 17th, was much more difficult to shoot at a hen's left Sin apore on June 18, and may be ference, but the Sardar was determined authorities who sesisted so well in bringing expected here on or about June 24. that his assertion should at once be put to the Namoa pirates to justice. the test and accordingly ordered one of his attendants to fetch an egg and suspend it against the opposite wall of the court, This being done, firing was commenced by the English, and to their amazement, after some dezen shots, the egg was unharmed. The Sardar and his attendants maintained their gravity, and every moment volunteered some excuse for the miss, as each bullet failed to smash the egg. Presently, by accident, a ball happened to sover the thread by which it was suspended, and down fell the egg upon the pavement below, but to the astonishment of Major Lumsden and his friends it did not smash. The trick was now apparent and they joined the Sardar and his friends in a hearty laugh at the deception. The heir apparent had prepared the egg by having its contents blown out through a hole at the end. The empty egg shell, as light as a feather, was pushed aside by the wind of the bullet and could not be struck .- Christian Union;

> THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT AND THE FERMENT IN THE NORTH.

The following is a rough translation of inst., will be under the patronage and in of the disturbances on the Yangteze, and the presence of H. E. the Officer Administratored to the other day in a Reuter's telegram. The Imperial Decree was issued on the 7th day of 5th moon (18th inst.), in enswer relating to the various riots at Wuhu, Tanyang, Wusuich and other places, and the destruction of foreign churches and pro perties in these towns, and requesting His nominating any candidate for election to the Sanitary Board, although such Mem-Majesty to direct the various Viceroys and Governors to take immediate steps in the

Imperial decree has been issued to the effect that teachers of and converts to such religious should be protected by the officials of the various provinces. The Emperor is surprised to find so much destruction of foreign churches and property within these few days. There must have been some desperate characters ucling as leaders (among the innocent people had been thus misled by cerned to take, immediate and serious steps to put an end to these disturbances, so as to restore the peace of the country. The Liang Kinng, Hu-Kwang, Kinngau, Anhui, to make enquiry and arrest the leaders and the riplers, so that they may be punished according to law, and thus to get as a warning for the future. The adherents of the foreign religious are engaged in advising the people to be and to do good : the native Christians are Christians are on good terms with each other. The trouble arises solely because of false rumours in order to create these disturbances. The General, Viceroy and Governer of the various provinces are hereby their people not to listen to such rumoure and not to join these disturbances, Auy O Fine A. V. H. Geneva. 5.25 0.50 enter into her personal recognisances for to deceive the people should be seriously

enquired into, und steps should be taken to deal out to the evil-doers heavy punishment, The local inflicials should protest the charches and morolants of the various salaries of public officers laid on the table foreign nations. These local officials should from time to time make arrangements to protect their (foreigners') lives and propert and must not let the evil-doers disturb and injure them. If the local officials (in future) neglect to take steps in matters of this kind, so as to allow such disturbances to arise, they should be report. marks said the object of this bill, as ed and removed from their posts. As regards the various riots in the provinces referred to, the Generals, Viceroys and which the rendor is not at the time of the Governors of each province should immediately take steps to have the matter not under his control, and the means by settled. They must not allow their respect which the bill sought to give effect to this tive subordinates to neglect to take immodiate steps in each case. This is to be of this kind should bear on the face diroulated to all the officials oncerned. -Respect this.

ing to approve the proposal that the THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL a Legislature considered the question of Assistant Harbour Master should be made A meeting of the Legislative Council was consideration—first, the state of the law beld this afternoon. H. E. Major General which they proposed to alter second, the an aggregate salary of \$3000, together with G. Digby Barker, C. B., Officer Adminiafree quarters but wishes to know, in the toring the Government, presided; and remedy the svil. Now, the state of the event of this arrangement being made, there were also present: Hon. W. M. whether it would involve any saving on the Goodman, Acting Colonial Secretary; Hon. Pollos Establishment. The salary of the A. J. Leach, Acting Attorney General; Hon. heed of the Botanical and Afforestation S. Brown, Surveyor General : Hon. J. H. Department is put down at \$2653 instead Stewart-Lockhart, Registrar General; Hon. Department is put down at \$2552 instead Stewart-Lockhart, Registrar General; Hon. when the time come is state unable of \$2449, including the \$350 as personal N. G. Milchell Innes, Colonial Treasurer; to carry out his contract, he become London, 11th June.—At nearly all the given to the proposal that the Colonial Reswick, Hon. T. H. Whitehead, and Mr. suffered by the other party. The rangedy Surgeon should be given an increase A. M. Thomson, Acting Clerk of Councils. was very simple. If the vendor failed to to his house allowance; but a Contrary to the usual custom, and article at whatever price he could get it and claimed the difference from the vendor.

Dr Ayres in recognition of his good ser, the appearance of Counsel on behalf of the delivery the vendor would take delivery the vendor would take it. vices, is approved of. The proposed in Stockbrokers' Association to oppose the into the market and sell it and claim crease of the Health Officer's salary to Sale of Shares Bill, there were several from the other party say loss he might tion of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales with \$2,700 is not sanctioned, but an increase to strangers present, two ladies being among customally when that rule was not found the number. to work and could not be applied,

The Acing Coloneal Secretary laid on the table a report on the Bine Book and Departmental Reports for 1890; and the Educational Report for 1800 by Dr. Eitel, Her Majesty's Inspector of Schools. He also laid on the table o pies of telegrams

A financial minute, recommending the Council to vote the sum of \$2000 for the extension of the Peak water supply to Magazine Gap, was also laid on the table and referred to the Finance Committee. THE CHINESE AUTHORITIES AND THE MANOL

PERACE. Mr Whitehead-Your Kreelloney, I be to give notice that at next meeting I will move the following resolution :-That the services rendered by the Chinese Admiral Fong and his officers in tracking and bringing to trist and condign punishment the Names pirates are deserving of every soknowledgement, and that the Covernment be requested to couver to Admiral Fong and his officers through the customary channels the thanks of the community and of this Courseil

munity and of this Council for their exer-His Excellency - I may mention, with regard to the notice given by the hon, member, that the Government has Already some time ago, taken the action which he suggests. The thanks of the Hongkong Government have already b en tendered through the proper channels to the Chinese the Namoa pirates to justice.

THE GAMBLING HELIS AT ROWLOOK. Mr Whitehead-I beg to give notice that will also move the following resolutions at next meeting :---That the existence of gambling houses in Chinese Kowloong 1 id the tole-

ration of gambling by the authorities there is and has been for some time past a very serious of use of annoyance and injury to the inhabitants of this Colony and tends to render inoperative recent legislation in Hongkong against gambling. That the Government be requested to move the Chinese authorities with a view

to the entire suppression of public gambling and gambling houses at Kowloon. His Excellency—This matter has already been under the consideration of the flovers. ment, and certain stops have been taken. The Consulat Canton has been communicated with as to the best means of bringing the subject forward. It is exercising the serrious attention of the Government and therefore the resolutions seem hardly

Mr Whitehead Will your Excellency lay copies of the papers on the aubject on tho table? His Excellency-I think in the present state of matters it would be very undesirable that the papers should be published. It is a very delicate question.

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL AND THE SANITARY BOARD ELECTIONS. Mr Keswick - Your Excellency, pursuant to notice given at last meeting I beg toeak the following question :- Whether it is a fact that Members of the Legislative Coupeil are precluded from either voting for or bers are Ratepayers. I know as a fact that at present a member of the Legislative Conneil can neither nominate nor vote for a candidate for the Sanitary Board, even The Decree says that the foreign religious although he is a ratopayer, but I think this are provided for in the Treaties, and an is probably through some evernight which

it would be easy to set right The Acting Colemial Secretary In an swer to the question I am instructed to reply as follows - life Broellency is advised hat members of the Legislative Council who are exempted from serving on juries on account of their being members of Council and not on account of their profeasional occupations, ere precinded in the present state of the law from other voting for or nominating candidates for the Sanitary Roard, although such members are ratepayers.

The following business was then trans-First reading of a Bill entitled Ag Ordinance to license the present Church of the Immaculate Conception for the celebration of marriages from the time of

BEW BILLS.

First reading of a Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend The Women and Girls' Protection Ordinance, 1890. Third reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to give the came validity to Ordinances Nos 18 and 19 of 1884 to H they had been proclaimed to come inte-force on the 23rd day of September, Third reading of the Bill entitled The

Forts Protection Ordinance, 1891. third reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to provide against abuses connected with the prection of Public Latrines hird reading of the Bill satisfied An Ordinance to further amend The Public

Health Ordinance, 1887. THE SALE OF SHARES BILL

SPRECH BY COURSEL FOR THE SHARE-BROKERS AS COLATION. The next item on the orders of the day was the second reading of the Sale of Mr Whitehead moved that counsel for the Sharebrokers' Association now be heard with respect to the bill-

Mr Francis, after a lew prefatory restated in the presmise, was to prewent the sale of stocks and shares of contract, in possession or which he has object was by providing that each contract of it the numbers or other marks by which the shares shall be identified in the registers of the respective companies. It was a sound rule that when evil proposed to be remedied and thirdly, the means by which it is proposed to law at the present moment in this eclony and in England let it periodly lawing for any man to enter law accounts to sell any property whether as possessed it or not, and the only penalty law are the present law was took that if went into the market and bearing the suffer. Of course class occurred se-

state of the law for many years past, the result was that although individua a Institutions entirely independent of G-There was an act of George II. called the might from time to time be injured there vernment supervision or aid, except that Stockfobbing Act, the Sthracetion of which was no general depreciation or apprecia- those few which are not kept for private was specially directed to mest the mischief tion and shares maintained their proper emolument are by law exempt from paynow proposed to be remedied by the bill and normal value. He was instructed ment of rates and taxes. before the Council to prevent persons to make one suggestion. Part of the from selling or dispusing of stocks of which evil that existed arese from certain they were not possessed. But in the 23rd brokers becoming jobbers and dealers, west of Her Blajesty Queen Victoria it was which led to a great deal of gambling (found that this Act was so inconvenient and and rash speculation. The Brokers Ashampered so extensively dealings on the sociation were anxious to purify the prostock exchange that it was repeated in its | fession and they suggest that the best way entirety. He submitted that this in itself | would be to make brokers take out a licence was a very strong at ument against the and pay a fee and to empower the Governwar based on this that the only effect of have been approved by the Government, and so far to impede and injute the opera. the Council for the patient hearing he had Lions of the Companies Acts operations and got. "Acts which had been of the very greatest! Mr. Koswick, in moving the second advantage, to the mercantile community reading of the Bill, expressed his entire ton throughout the world, and under which at the very free discussion it had given many great unterprises had been under- rise to in the Colony. He was very taken bere and elsowhere. Beyond the glad that the Sharebrokers' Association had argument of inconvenience it seemed to been heard by O unsel, as in the event of him he had a much stronger argument and the Bill being pussed it would be clear at one which the sherebrokers were fairly all events that a clear and full representaon ifled to put before the Council. They tion of views had been made. The learned silmitted that great evils saisted in the Counsel and svery one samitted that a colony and that these sylls arose out of, blight exists in Hongkong, a blight that had transactions in shares and stocks, and not done great injury to a large propostion of to make any bones about it out of exces- the community. All parties were anxious. sive speculation and gambling in shares and to see some remedial measure that would stocks ; and they were perfectly willing to relieve the very unsatisfactory state of admit that if any measures should be filten affairs. He was very much struck with the to aton this gambling it would be not only fact that the learned counsel appeared to own personal advantage as an association at all. If that was the case, why such an Schools and scholars under the supervision and as individuals; and their complaint outery about the serious injury it would of the Education Department rose from 97 with reference to this ordinance was that do. He (Mr Keswick) believed that the Schools with 6,258 scholars in 1888, to 104 it would not in the least degree check, chief cause of the opposition was the re- Schools with 7,107 scholars in 1889, and to the colony who supported it. They were ling a very large percentage of men in this from year to year, yet the annual increase probably do a great deal to prevent a man in a company is 5 000; it was quite to 63 in 1890, that is to say the attendance that there had been to any great shares, it is he who bulls the market until be gentent or in any stock of any great value, get them up to a certain price; then be the bulk of the transactions going on make a big profit, although he may have Voluntary Schools established by the local here did not involve short sales. It never had an actual share in his possession. was not the short sellers who were That was the legalised system in this The pirains who were ruined were those passed in 1737, which had been in operacolony could anumerate probably hundreds not exist when the repeal was made from signing a contract to take up these stricting the free sale of shares. He disshares three months hence at extravagant | sented entirely from that view. The sale prices? That man would do precisely the of shares with their numbers attached same thing even if the numbers of the to them will go on as freely as before. " theres were mentioned in the contract. The licensing of share brokers might do It was suggested that this would be a a great deal of good as an additional guarantes at least that the shares existed and that the wander was in a position to deliver them. That was perfectly true. but no evil had arisen out of the nonpointed out in the public newspapers, and he thought he was entitled to make use of it as an argument. that there were two or three big speculators in the colony, extremely wealthy men who could by carrying on large operations lower the prices of shares. Let them think of any one of these men ; would the passing of this ordinance interfere with his operations? He was supposed to be extremely wealthy and in possession or capable of getting possession to-morrow cause. He did not deal in shares and did not of thousands of shares in any company. He could go into the market that the bill be referred to a commission, and buy as many shares as he could with instructions to take evidence on the lay his hands on. Say he bought \$.00; matter, so that they might really know the that he entered into contracts under this nature of the disease they were endeavour-Ordinance for the sale of 2030 of these shares on time, to be delivered three nonths hence at largely enhanced prices. By his own operations in buying and anyother means at his disposal he raised the sent to the newspapers the other day. He price of that stock. The 1000 which he intimated that the Chamber he represented held in reserve he would sell out. 25 at a had resolved by a very overwhelming matime, and in the course of a month or two jurity to oppose the bill. the market might drop 50 or 60 points. This was not playing with loaded ly sacrificed a portion of his property by cision. He moved the adjournment of selling, 100) of his shares below the price the debate. he bought them at, losing a dollar or two ou each in the hope of making twenty or after some discussion it was held that this doing this he made a perfectly legitimate out notice. use of his wealth and his credit. Nothing in this bill would stop him or any man in vent anyone from purchasing these shares from agreeing. or entering into the same contracts again. all the gambling speculation and serious ought to be thoroughly discussed before loss, but this was not proved. Not only would the bill do no good but it would do aphatantive mischief, by tying the hande as having seconded the bill when it of honest respectable dealers in shares. - A free market for shares was merential to the maintabacca and existence of public companies. The very tendency of the Bill before the Council had very gonsiderably i interfered with the market in Hongkong. Purchasers of shares did not know whether they could sell them or not. The Bill would cause a very considerable was adjourned. be in the bank, he wishes to sell them and held after the Council at which it does not know their number. He has to agreed to recommend the vote of \$3000 for send to the bank to accertain and may lose the extension of the Peak Water supply to his market. Or a man purchases shares on Magazine Gip. the London market and wishes to sell them in Hongkong, the market being good, He cannot sell unless he is in a position to give

the numbers and he loses his market. The

Bill there could be no doubt would cause

trouble might ap par tending, but in the ag-

gregate it was large. It was an absolute

fact that in banks and large institutions in

the onlong Dustress Wes so brisk that

many of the must redinary precautions that

Ought to be taken wire now taken. Which

speculation was brisk proce oly the same

thing happened with the brokers. Short-

bill now before the Council; and broadly ment to refuse licences to anyone who is speaking the argument he had to present not a mumber of an Association whose rules this bill if passed would be to seriously rules which bound each member not to upede the transfer of stocks and shares jub. Mr Francis concluded by thanking

an advantage to the colony but also to their state that the Bill would have no effect few years, it appears that the number of

much less stop the evils of which com- strictive effect the Bill would have on the 112 Schools with 7,170 scholars in 1890. It plaint was made by the hon, member sale of shares by those persons who do not will be seen from these figures that, alwho moved this bill and the other persons possess them. The unlimited sale of shares though there was a steady increase of either in this Council or throughout without numbers has had the effect of ruin- Schools under Government supervision quita willing to admit that this bill would colony. Suppose the number of shares of scholars has fallen off from 849 in 1888 from selling short—selling shares that he possible for an operator, without holding a was unusually bad in 1890. The possible has not possession or control of; but was single share, to sell to the extent of 18 0 0. unhealthiness of the year, and especially that the evil that was really seriously com. This thing was done every day, and it was the prevalence of influence at the beginning plained of ! No man who knew anything an outrage that it should be permitted. of spring and the long continuance of fever about the position of the share market The man who bays for the rise, hopes in among children, are the principal causes of In the Colony could say positively, vain for the rise. The seller who sells the this extraordinary decrease of attendances. short selling. One man, the only one so plants them here, there and everywhere, and far as he knew, had been ruined by selling when the time comes for delivery down short, and that was a man whose case goes the market on account of the short was now in the Bankruptcy Court; but selling and he may buy back the shares and

ruined : the ruin was not caused by hear- | culony. He called it commercial immoraliing operations but by builing operations. ty. The learned Counsel mentioned a law who bought shares for a rise. ... Anyone tion for 120 years and was repealed in 1859. acquain ed with share business in the He would like to know whether there did of men who had suffered losses great or less some enactment which rendered it more in this way. He could not say that there or less unnecessary. And he was not suremight not be a few cases in which persons if the repeal law had not been adopted had been ruined, by selling short, but he whether the old law was not netually the doubted whether there were. Would the law of this Colony at the present moment. passing of this bill interfere in the slightest (Laughter). He considered that it was degree with that class of business? If a most undesirable that any person should man thinks he sees his way to make have the power in his bands of ruining a profit by a little gambling in large proportion of the community. A bliares, would the bill prevent him great deal had been said about the bill re-

> measure to the one be was introducing and enact such a measure He ridiculed the pealing to the unofficial members to vote for the bill, and moved that it be read a

second time. Mr Ryrie seconded. He did not entirely approve of the Bill and thought it might be medified in committee so as to meet the objections that had been raised.

Mr Ho Kal said it was stated on one side that short selling was the cause of all the evil and on the other side that builing was the know which side to believe. He suggested ing to cure.

Mr. Whitehead seconded. He could no support the Bill and went on to state his objections, mainly on the lines of the letter he

The Attorney General said the bill was not introduced by the Government and the He was merely taking advantage of Government wished to study all the arguhis great wealth and credit. He deliberate- ments on both sides before arriving at a de-

thirty dollars on each of the other 2000. In amendment a mid not be introduced with-The Registrar General suggested that according to the Secretary of State's instruchis position from doing what had been done | tions the Bill could not be proceeded with

Mr Ho Kai pressed his amendment, but

in the past, and nothing in it would pre- as the unofficial members were very far His Excellency said he did not construe of In 89 cases out of 100 the bill would the Secretary of State's instructions to not have any effect whatever. It was as | mean that the unofficial members must sumed that short selling was the came of be manimous. And in any case the Bill

> they decided as to the agreement. The name of Mr Chater was mentioned

Mr Whitehead said Mr Chater only seconded it because there was no other unofficial member present. Mr Kenwick-He did second it; but cannot may what was his reason for doing.

After some further discussion the debate of trouble. A man's shares may A meeting of the Finance Committee was

THE EDUCATIONAL REPORT. The following report by Dr Eitel, Inadditional delay, and additional expense spector of Schools, was laid on the table of and in many instances loss. The additional the Legislative Council this afternoon :-EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Hongkong, 30th May, 1891. Sir .- I have the honour to present herewith the Annual Report on Education for

GENERAL EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

OXYRBAL STATISTICS. OF SCHOOLS UNDER THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Apart from the Police School with 390 scholara (riz. 31 Europeans, 217 Indians and 142 Chinese) and the West Point Reformatory with 99 scholars (72 Chinese and 27 non-Chinese), both of which Schools are exempt from the control of the Education Department, the total number of Schools, subject to Government supervision and examination, amount d in the year, 1-90 to 112, as compared with 63 in 1880. and 24 in 1870. The total number of scholars, enrolled in these Schools during the year 1800, amounted to 7 170 as compared with 3,886 in 1880 and 1,302 in 1870. It appears therefore that the number of Schools and acholars under examination by the Inspector of Schools has been rearly lonbled within the last ten years. There has been an increase of 39 Schools and 2.584 scholars during the ten years from 1870 to 1889, and an increase of 49 Schools and 3,284 scholars during the ten years from 1880 to 1890. We have therefore evidence of a satisfactorily steady increase of Schools and scholars from decade decade, which increase followed in the wake

of the annual increase of the population.

Applying the same comparison to the last

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS OF GOVERNMENT Of the 7,170 scholars in 112 schools under examination by the Inspector of Schools. as many as 4.658 scholars attended 76 Missions, both Protestant and Catholic, whilst 2.514 scholars attendad 36 secular Government Schools. The latter are so distributed all over the Colony that in every district there is at least one secular Governas a general rule, the Chinese, indifferent

character of the School. SITUATION OF SCHOOLS. has a school of its own The only drawrare exceptions, badly suite t for the purpose and do not afford sufficient accomought to go to school.

> EDUCATIONAL EXPENDITURE OF THE GOVERNMENT.

items included in this sum are the follow-Government District Schools \$7.046, Go- graphy, Music and Needlework in the Girla' vermment G'rls' School 82,459, Inspector- Schools, and Physical Teography, Algebra; ate of Schools \$4,377, Government Scholar. Englid, Literature, Mensuration and Bookship \$1 187, Student Interpreters \$520, keeping in the Boys' Schools, Some schools with the expenditure of the preceding jects special lessons, as for instance Latin. year, constitutes a moderate increase, (Hongkong Public Febool), French and caused principally by additions to the Geometrical Drawing (St. Joseph's College) solaries of the staff of Victoria College, by French and Freehan! Drawing (Victoria the establishment of a new Girls' School, English Schoole). Finally we have a class Voluntary Schools. But this whole increase giving an elementary English education in lation, increasing, from year to year in its by suglish methods of tuition. appreciation of the value of education as 1890, we had 14 Schools of well as in sheer numbers. The total educa- class, attended by 2,016 scholars of School, the Church Mission Home and teen Schools (Diocesan School, Victoria cost to Government of the education pro- Schools adds Animal Physiology, Geomevided by the various classes of Schools tricel and Perspective Drawing and Bookunder the supervision of the Government keeping, whilst the Victoria College adds attendance educated in Victoria College keeping. The Victoria College, St. Joseph's my remarks. I did not say that I went exception of the force at Peking, of varies widely. Each scholar in average Latin, M. nsuration, Chemistry and Bookcost the Government in 1890, \$25.34, st College, Dioc san School, Hongkong Public the Government Girle' School (being in School and the Victoria English School its hest year and charging only half fees) prepare candidates for the Oxford Local 8/0.49, at the Government District Schools (both Junior and Senior). Examinations. 88.88, at the Grant-in-Aid Schools 85 62. There has been a visible tendancy of late, Nothing can be plainer than the fact that I in the case of St Joseph's College, Diocesan the system of payment by results, as applied | School and Victoria English Boys' School, to the Grant-in-Aid Schools of Hongkong, to turn the accordary education they are is very much cheaper, whilst equally effect giving into the distinct channel of a comtive, and to parents more satisfactory, than mercial education, whilst the Victoria the system of Government Schools. The College and the Hongkong Public School Grant-in-Aid system of Hongkong, essent seek to combine commercial and classical for their gentlementy bearing; and the remittingly pushing forward the men of tially differing in some points from the traching scheme in fire in England, commends itself, by the smoothness, cheapness and ailling capid not be proved to axist in Hongkong. Hales on time of shares that stitutions of all descriptions, known to have been at work in the Colony of Hongkong have been at work in the Colony of Hongkong have been at work in the Colony of Hongkong have been at work in the Colony of Hongkong have been at work in the Colony of Hongkong have been at work in the Colony of Hongkong have been at work in the Colony and preventing its keep. In the mainland of our population and the constitutions of all descriptions, known to share that the Colony and preventing its keep. In the constitutions of all descriptions, known to share that the Colony and preventing its keep. In the co breast. There were two classes of speculas scholars as compared with the preceding absolute necessity. I am decidedly of the preceding absolute necessity and the preceding absolute necessity at the preceding absolute necessity

case of that kind occurred here tion by which the most harm was done. Bion and foosiving Government aid in in 1883 by the Indian Government aid in in 1885 by the Indian Government aid in Indi recently, when it was left to a jury to In a free market the two operations checked some form or other, The remainder, viz. declaring the elementary education of the lately see why their daughters should go to in Hongkong is in favor of the Hon, J. J. assistance. The present disturbances on assess the damages. Such had been the produced a balance, and 109 Schools with 1,985 scho the Education Department, offered to hand is a large class of purchas d servant-girls bargains in shares within the Colony .- Vicercy has not sent one of his abipa to over any of its Colleges or Schools (devoted | (of school-going age), and Eurasian girls | Yours, &c. to secondary education) in suitable cases to whom servitude and the stigms of want of bodies of local educationists willing to respectability, combined with popular undertake their management under the prejudice, seek to keep out of the educaprovisions of the Grant-in-Aid system, tion net. These three factors, hostile to The Royal Commission on Indian Education the spread of female education; are to a (1883), mide the following suggestions, cortain extent still at work in the Colony, clearly applicable to Hongkong: ! Secondary but year by year their effect becomes education in any district should be left to weaker. It is still a f ct that the main the Grant-in-Aid system ' (Report, p. 414). body of our population consists of working No direct departmental effort should be men; either unmar ied or having their made in the field of secondary education's families on the mainland, but the number (Report, p. 415). The discontinuance of of Chinese, families permanently settled any general system of education, entirely in Hongkong increases steadily from provided by Government (that is by Gov. year to year. It is still true that erament Schools) is anticipated with the most European families, that can from a strictly commercial point of view, gradual advance of the system of Grant afford the expense, send their children in-Aid, but the progress of education is not to Europe to be educated there, but the Colony, people who carry no weight to be checked in the tlightest degree ty the number of those that cannot afford it and have not the full confidence of the the abandonment of a single school to is on the increase. As to Chinese indiffer- community. Had it not been for the shareprobably decay. (Indian Education one to the value of school-education for brokers the Clamber of Commerce would next Shanghai Taotai. The Viceroy I Dispatch, 1854, quoted in Report, p. 23), their daughters, it is rapidly vanishing, as certainly have approved of the bill, just as All Directors of Public Instruction should the needlework instruction, gratuitously it is now approved of by the majority of alm at the gradual transfer to local (native); added to the programme of the Girls' merchants and bankers in this Colony. management of Governme: t Schools giving Schools, has introduced a commercial value. secondary instruction. (Hep ret. p. 596). But whilst freely sending their sons to En. Keswick's bill I think there can be no doubt The fact that any (Government) School glish Schools and gradually learning to ap- every sensible man must approve of any-

fees, should be taken as affording a pro- see why their daughters should learn En. bulling and boaring to an unjustifiable ex-(Report, p. 467). A periodically increas- late made valuable efforts to bring home to and I think it should also be borne in mind ing provision should be made in the educa. the Chinese families, in which purchased that although the chief management of the worth mentioning that there are about four tional budget for the expansion of Aided servant girls are employed, their moral ob-Institutions.' (Report, p. 583). 'The pro- ligation of providing these girls with an London, and that probably the London portion of educational expenditure to gen- education, and the establishment of the branch has large deposits from people at eral revenue is an important consideration. Government Central Sceool for Girls has home. We out here are not at all likely to I find that in 1881 to 1882, (no later data given a first imputus to the education of make a run on the bank or to take seriousbeing at hand), the Government of Bombay Eurasian girls. The net result of this gen- ly to heart any undue depreciation of the epent on education (after deducting all eral movement in the matter of female edu- stock, because everyone in the Colony and school-fees, but including cost of school- cation is exhibited by the subjoined in China can obtain pretty correct informabuildings) 23.2 per cent, Madras, 14.8 per Table, shewing the proportion of boys tion as to the reasons of such depreciation cent., and Bengal, 6.9 per cent. of its and girls under instruction, in schools but the case is different with the people at total revenues. In 1889, the Colony of subject to the aspervision of the Govern- home. They might easily be panic-stricken Mauritius, with a revenue of Rs. 87,44,864, ment, during the last ten years It will be and suin themselves, and, perhaps, the spent on education (exclusive of Buildings) seen from this Table that while there was Bank also. The Hongkong and Bhanghai Rs. 4,05,021 or 4 6 per cent. The Govern- in the year 1690 but a very slight increase Bank is the greatest factor in the well-besum of \$143,109, or 3.7 per cent to the | was an increase of 208 girls under instruct seems to me to be a plain duty to do everyment (cost of Buildings not included). The 1880, among every hundred under in- to unfair and misleading influences. Anydinary purposes of education (exclusive of boost of, for it shows that female education Buildings), being 2.8 per cent of the total is still in a backward condition, but it is

NATURE OF THE EDUCATION CIVES. We have in Hongkong the following dis- attain to its normal figure. tinctions. There are in the first instance. Schools giving a Chinese education in the str Chinese classical language. In 1890, there were as many as 86 such Schools at work under the Education Department, (28 Government Schools and 53 Grant-in-Aid ment School within easy reach of any Schools), giving to a total of 3,955 scholars, parent objecting to so d his children to the kind of education which an ordinary denominational Christian Schools. Such Village School anywhere in the Empire of objections are, however, extremely rate, for, China gives, but with the addition (in the case of 28 Guvernment Schools with 862 as to the religious influences of the Volun- scholars) of the rudiments of Arithmetic tary Schools, look to the personal character and Geography, and (in the case of the 58 and schol-stic competency of the teacher Grant-in-Aid Schools with 3,093 scholars) rather than to the Christian or secular with the further addition of Christian teaching. The teachers of these Schools are all Chinese and have not had any professional training. We have further a few Schools The above-mentioned 112 Sc cols under (in 1890, 3 Schools with 219 scholars), the supervision of the Education Depart- which give to Chinese children a European ment are southered over all parts of the Christian education in the Chiness language Colony. In the District of Victoria, there (Hakks and Pauti). The instruction given are 71 schools with 5,856 scholars. The in these Schools, which partly avail themvillages of Hongkong are provided with 24 selves of the use of the Remanized system Schools attended by 789 scholars, whilst in of writing Chinese, adds to the subjects the villages of Kowlo a there are 17 taught in the preceding class of Schools, he would be pleased to see the Government Schools with 525 scholars. Where the the further subjects of Arithmetic (up to population is dens st, as in Saiyingpon, decimal fractions) and Accient History. idea about the great trouble that would be Sheungwan and Chungwan, the Schools are These Schools are partly taught by Euroexistence of that guarantee. It had been caused by having to enter the numbers of placed most closely a gether, but even in the peans and partly by Chinese teachers who Village Districts there is no hamlet, be it have had a European training. A third ever so small, that has not a School within class of Schools (in 1890, four in number, easy reach. Every village with a popula- with 280 scholars) are devoted to giving a tion sufficient to send 20 children to School | Christian education in the Portuguese lanquage to Portuguese children. These back is that the School-houses are, with Schools, taught by European ladies, who (with one or two exceptions) hold certificates of some European Government, teach, in the modation for the number of children who Portuguese language, the ordinary subjects of an elementary English education. The next class of Schools consists of 8 English Schools, with exactly 700 scholars, all under the Grant-in-Aid Scheme. These The sum total spent by the Government | Schools, give to English and Portuguese in the year 1890 for educational purposes children (including a few Chinese), by the (868,194.75), amounted, after deducting instrumentality of trained European teachthe school fees (\$12.113.00) paid into the era an elementary English education in the Treasury, to \$56,031. 76. The principal English language, but the highest class or clusses in each of these Schools superadd ing :- Victoria College \$19,222, Grante-in- the principal subjects of an English seconaid (including Building Grant) \$19,332. dary School, viz : Algebra, Physical Geo-

> The foregoing expenditure, compared aid to the fore oing list of secondary saleby increase of Grants given to of Schools which combine with the sim of has its deepest source in the natural the English language the ende your to keep extension of the educational movement up also the previous attainments of their which is irresistibly pushed forward by scholars in the classical Chinese language, the urgent demands of a growing popu- giving thus an Angla-Chinese education tional expenditure of the year 1890 amounts | Chinese or Eurasian extraction. Three of to \$7.31 per scholar, so far as the Govern- | these Anglo-Chinese Schools (with 364 ment is concerned. But Schools like St. scholars) are Mission Schools, the remain-Joseph's College, the Italian Convent, the | der (with 1,652 scholars) are Government Diocesan Schoo', the Hongkong Public Schools, but only three out of these four-Orphanage, the Berlin Mission and other | College, and Government Girls' School) are Mission Schools, doing sound educational | taught by trained teachers. The Victoria work for the benefit of the community, in- | College and the Dioceman School are the ourred additional expenditure, not included only Anglo-Chinese Schools which combine, in the foregoing figures, and amounting like the above-mentioned English Schools, (as will be seen from Table XI appended to | with the advanced subjects of a secondary this Report) to \$60,646.51, that is to say to English education, also the ordinary sub \$41,909 39 over and above the Grants-in- jects of elementary English and elementary Aid (\$18,737. 12) paid to those Schools by Chinese Schools. To the ordinary subjects the Government in February, 1890. The of a secondary English School, the Diocesan

giving secondary education raises more than | preciate the value of the education given in | thing that will help to do away with the 6) per cent, of its entire expenditure from Chinese Girls' Schools, they cannot as yet present system of dealing in bank shares, samption that the transfer of such school glish. Finally, as regards the parials of tent. By bank shares can only be meant to local management can be safely eff cted.' local society, the Registrar General has of H ngkong and Shanghai Bank shares, ment of the Straits Settlements devoted, in of scholars (63) as compared with the year ing of this Colony; it is the barometer of 1888, but of a revenue of \$3,858,108, the 1889, and a decrease of boys (145), there | the Colony's state of prosperity, and current expenses of the Education Depart- | tion in the year 1890, and that, whilst in | thing possible not to expose this barometer Colony of Hongkong, baving a revenue of struction, there were only 18 girls, there thing that will tend to prevent this is \$1,995,220, spent in the year 1890, as were, in 1890, 32 girls in every hundred step in the right direction. -- Yours. above stated, the sum of \$56,081 ou the or- scholars in school. This is nothing to clear that there is steady progress and room for the hope that the proportion of boys and girls under instruction will soon

Proporti	ion of Boye	and Girls	under 11
nction i	n Schools 1	ander the s	upervisio
the Gov	ernment, 1	880 to 189.	
Year.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
1880.	3.187	699	3,886
1881	3,364	850	4,223
1882,	3,941	1,241	5,182
1883.	4,120	1,477	5,597
1884,	4,238	1,647	5,885
1885,	4,329	1,7:0	6,029
1886,	4,161	1,683	5,844
1887.	4,195.	1,779	5,974
1888,	4,342	1,916	6,258
1889,	4,991	2,116	7,107
1890,	4,846	2,324	7,170

SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION Before Mr E. J. Ackroyd, Acting Chief Justice.) Friday, June 19,

PRASER PHITH U. SASSOON AND ORS. . \$1000 DAMAGES. to leave the Colony, that he was therefore | tain points of special importance. obliged to go away and was leaving by the First, as regards the cause or causes of Meamuir. As his Lordship might know these disturbances. I have long been of from what had appened in connection opinion that a spirit of unrest has arisen, with another matter in Court, the plaintiff and has been rapidly growing in China, had left the Colony, and he asked that in that it has grown much more rapidly

Mr Hastings, on behalf of the defendants, China than in others. Its inception arose, most strongly opposed this application and I think, from an unconscious, and innate asked his Lurdship to dismiss the suit with | feeling, which would be considered and costs. No affidavit had been filed and described by a certain class of politicians there was no evidence of the plaintiff's in England and America as one of healthy having left the colony. As far as his discontent. The progressive desire which Lordship knew in this suit he did not know | seized upon Japan a generation ago is bewhether he had left the colony, or, if he ginning to work in China, and will run its had, that he would over return again. He course as surely and irresistibly as it has in thought the least the plaintiff could do was that country, though very possibly in a For Continent, 100 hales Raw Silk, 14 owes to file an affidavi', and he had shown very different manner, and at a different pace, little courtesy to the Court in going away T.e feeling has as yet produced no 11 bales Waste Silk, 6 bales Hair and 34 without making an application for an ad- articulate expression of the wrongs to be page. Sundries from Focolow, 939 page. I mramont, s mply leaving a letter with his removed, the improvements to be achieved, Tea; for London, 20 bales Riv Silk,

His Lordship thought there ought to be to the banding together of enorme ome medical evidence, and in order that numbers of men in secret societies wh woh might be produced be would take the seem to have agreed upon one point matter into consideration on Friday next. Mr Holmes said he would endeavour to present Manchu dynasty, and the establishment blain medical evidence.

ence also that the plaintiff in ended to Fecret societies have undoubtedly exist come back; there was no evidence on that in China from a remote paried of histo His Lordship said such evidence ought of late years, and comprise all classes, be also to be produced.

BARRETTO V. CHINA GINGER MANUFACTURING | military officials and soldiers.

This was a claim of \$911 for wages due at work in connection with political moby the defendant company to the plaintiff. | ments in Chine. During the last this Mr J. G. Smith, on behalf of the company, years or so, two provinces of China h admitted that the sum claimed was due for risen to a commanding position, arrears of salary from April 1890 to April Hunan and Anhui, and the rivalry 1891, and judgment was given for the existing between the people of these plaintiff, with coats,

CORRESPONDENCE THE DISCUSSION ON THE SHARE BILL To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.

Hongkong, June 19.

think it a proper employment for a great majority of the soldiers consist gentleman, but I made use of the old Hunan and Anhui men. The Hun English adage that the cultivation of men are so powerful at Nanking to the soil is the only congenial and no Viceroy, who is not a Hunan n appropriate employment for a goutleman, and a soldier, can keep them under This was spoken in pleasantry, and from control. The Honon men are now the merriment with which the comark was leading spirits in China, but since received. I feel sure that it was understood. death of the Viceroy Taing Kuc-chi The most successful brokers, whether in ex- last year, they have no recognised politic change or shares, have been distin ulshed chief. The Vicercy Li Hung-chang is un Sovereigns (Babk's buying sate 2 6.32 large business transactions placed in their Anbui in every part of China His brother hauds testifies to the confidence with Li Han-chang has the post next in importwhich they are regarded. The first duty ance to his own, ve, the Vicerovship of effectiveness of its working, more and Three causes have hitherto been at work of every gentleman after making him. Canton, and Anhai men are rising rapilly

To the Editor of the CHIMA MAIL. Hongkong, 19th June, 1891.

Sin, -The Chamber of Commerce, yes able majority, disapproving of Mr Keawick bill against undue gambling in stocks. think it should, if possible, be clearly understood by the community. by the Government and by our friends at home that the principal opposers to the bill are the share-brokers of this Colony, people who, Whatever may be said pro or con. Mr

OLD RESIDENT.

only one factor in the adverse decision of energies were exhaustively occupied in the Chamber yesterday. There were other grappling with the solemn farce of an Imcauses at work, and they will perhaps perial Audience while events long prepared appear more clearly later on .- Eu. (, M.]

THE CAUSES OF THE RIOTS. Mr W. V. Drummond writes as follows to the N.-C. Daily News on the 11th

Sir .- The very serious disturbances that are new occurring in various places in mid-China, and in which two English lives have already been taken, and an immense amount of foreign-owned property destroyed make it desirable that a true understanding should be arrived at as to the circumstances connected with, and the considerations bearing upon, these out-

Having made a special study of Chinese politics for many years, and more particularly of the undercurrents of the internal politics of Chiua, I may perhaps be able to throw a little light upon what is to all foreigners confessedly a very dark and un-

fathomable subject. . In my letter to you of the 27th ult. stated some of the conclusions which I had Mr Holmes, who appeared for the plain- arrived at some years ago, and the events tiff in this case, asked for an adjournment | which have occurred since you published in consequence of the plaintiff's absence that letter on the 29th ult. seem to have from the colony. The plaintiff had writt n corroborated in every detail the correctness to him saying that owing to the breakdown of those conclusions. I now propose to of his health his doctor had ordered him make a few general observations upon cer-

adjournment should be granted for about during the last five years, and that it exists in much greater force in certain parts of or the results to be attained, but it has common, namely, that the removal of ment of a pure y Chinese dynasty on Mr Hastings said there ought to be evid- throne, is the first object of their desire but they have greatly increased in numb official, mercantile, and agricultural, most important element at present be

Next, as regards the forces that are t provinces, and which extends from the v highest to the lowest, is the dominant facin the politics of the immediate future China. The famous Tasing family, a especially the great general Treng K fan, have been primarily instrumen in pushing forward the interests. their countrymen of Hanan, who are a the most martial people in Chi EIR, In the generally very correct The great Vicercy Li Hung-chang has count which your paper contains of the ceasingly fostered the interest of Chamber of Commerce meeting yesterday countrymen of Anhui. Apart from there is an imaceuracy in one sontence of Tartar garrisons, which are, with out of the share business because I did not real strength in any part of China, bulling. They left the market without the 7,059 scholars, attended Schools (114 in last eight years, that we ought to follow anxious to have their boys taught to read Dians of the Ephesians. There can be the Chinese. The Vicercy Li Hung-chang natural protection against under apprecia- number) subject to Government supervi- in Hongkong the leading principle adopted and arite, because aware of the commercial however little doubt that the feeling of the promptly cent Admiral Ting and some

assist in quelling them, but has even kept a number of the best ships of the Nanyang fleet, which belongs to Nanking, living idly at Weihaiwei with his own ships. The Governor of Formosa was an Anhui man, the Victory of Nanking is a Hunan man. The Vicercy Li has for many years past exercised all the power that he possesses by direct interferouse with Shanghai, although this place is entirely beyond his proper sphere of influence, and is within one of the provinces governed by the Viceroy of Nanking. He often auccesdant getting his proteges appointed to the Tatotaiship of Shanghai, which is the second richest post in the Empire. The last one. Kung, was an Anhui man, and arrangements have been privately made already for the appointment of the Vicerov's son. who is now the Minister to Japan, as the has also obtained the entire control of the China Merchanta Company, and is working opergetically to keep a monopoly of cotton spinning enterprises here, in his own hands, and in many other ways is constantly striving to exercise a paramount influence at this, the most important place in China. The computative nertness and weakness of the Nanking Viceroys enable him to do this with very

In reference to Shanghai, it may be near the native City, who are Hunan men. while there are about eight thousand at Woosung, who are Anhui men.

The Vicercy Li has a more thorough knowledge of what is going on in all parts of China than any other official, and Ht he had selected a different time for his inspection of the fleets and forts, and kept his powerful fleat of ironelads craining in the Yangtze river instead, these terrible outbreaks at the river ports would never have happened. There is only one other point to which I will at present refer. The day has already arrived, when the internal politics of China are not only far more important to her own interests but also to the interests of foreigners than the so-called Imperial politics of Peking. Far more can be learnt regarding the former at Bhanghai than is known even to the Cabinet of the Chinese Government, much less to the The actual vote of the charebrokets was Foreign Ministers at Peking, whose and of momentous importance were on the eve of occurring. Nero fiddles while

Rome is burning. It needs only very ordinary intelligence to see now that the policy underlying the present series of outbreaks, which I skutch ed briefly in my former letter, is rapidly running its course to what appears likely to be a completely successful result. The French property already destroyed must have been worth many millions of tacle. When the bills are sent in what is the Chinese Government going to do? It will not pay, but if not, what then ? If the French submit to the loss their expulsion from China will be practically complete, and the position of all other foreigners will rapidly become intolerab's until another foreign war inevitably occurs. I have only touched very briefly upon a very few points of importance, but my letter is already for longer than I had intended it to be:

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cases Sundries. Per S. S. Glenshiel, sailed 13th June :-For London 1,576 pkgs. Tea, c ntaining 33,096 fbs. Pekoe, 3,102 pkgs. Tea, containing 65,142 fbs. Congou, 5,314 pkgs Tea, containing 111,594 ths. Scented Caper, and 2,070 pkgs. Tea from Foochow total 12 062 pkgs. Tea; 4 500 bales Hemp, 100 bags Gum Mastic, 181 bales Waste Silk, 350 pkgs. Caner, 88 pkgs. Bamboo wate. 31 pkgs. Rattan-ware, 20 pkgs. China-ware, 13 cases Cigars and 28 pkgs. Sundrice.

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P. N. Blanchard 2 h Blanchard Amer. sh.

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Alacrity	destratch-vessel	1700	2 4	3180	Com. Chas. H. Adair	Swatow
Archo	cruiser	1770	-4 %		- Commander Ferris	Hongkong
Caroline	cruiser	1400	14	1440	Captain Clutterbuck	Singapore
Egeria	surveying ship	740	-		Commander A. M. Field	Borneo
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Firebran	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460	Lieut Com Denison	Hongkong
Hyacinth.	cruiser	1420	8	1100	Captain Robt, W. Craigie	Hongkong
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oander	ord sec 2nd class	4300	10	5600	Captain Burges Watson	Shanghai
dure!	gan-vesse 2nd class	756	5	- 1059-	Commander V. A. Tisdall	Shanghai
Vercury	orviser	3730	13	7290	Capt. Chas. J. Balfour	Shanghai
Peacock	gunboat lat class	750	6	1200	Lieut. Commander Ingram	Hongkong
Pigmy	gunboat 1st class	1 755	6	1200	LieutCom. Hewett	Hongkong
Plover	gunboat let class	755	6	1200	- Lieut. Com. E. G. Rason	Singapere
Porpuise	ateol torpedo cruuer	1:70	5	3500	Jommander R. W. White	Hongkong
Rattler	gunboat let class	715	6	1200	Lieut. Com. J. G. Hough	Babdakan
Redpole	gunboat lat class	805	6	1200	Lieut Com. F. Wm. Freeman	
Savorn	cruiser	4050	12	6000	Captain Hall	Monghei
Solent	torpido mining launch	100	-	-		Hongkong
Swift	gun vessel 2nd class	766	5 5 3	1010	Commander Robt. D. B. Bruce	
Tweed	gibt. 3rd class coast defence	363	8	840		In reserve
Viotor Empias	receiving ship	5157	14		Commodore E. J. Church	Hongkong
Wiver	- coast defenceship, armourer	2750	1	J450		Hongkong

Toredo Bosts in Reserve Nos. 8, 20, 35, 36, 37 and 38, first class; and 3 second class bosts

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